## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_

## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

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, read first time and referred to Committee on



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Whereas, Several articles have been written proclaiming the health benefits of raw milk;

Whereas, Raw milk comes from cows that are fed green grass in spring, summer, and fall and green feed, silage, hay, and root vegetables in winter, eliminating the introduction of pesticides and growth hormones into the cow's bodies and milk;

Whereas, Many adults have difficulty digesting pasteurized milk, and allergies to pasteurized milk products are common;

Whereas, Raw milk is not pasteurized. Pasteurization is thought to destroy enzymes, diminish vitamin content, denature fragile milk proteins, destroy vitamins B12 and B6, kill beneficial bacteria, and promote pathogens. Pasteurization is associated with allergies, increased tooth decay, colic in infants, growth problems in children, osteoporosis, arthritis, heart disease, and cancer; and

Whereas, It would behoove the state of Indiana to study the possible health benefits of raw milk: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:



1	SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to establish an
2	interim study committee to study the health benefits of raw milk.
3	SECTION 2. That the committee, if established, shall operate under
4	the direction of the legislative council and shall issue a final report
5	when directed to do so by the council.



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